



WILD SEEDS WRITERS RETREAT

A Four-Day Virtual Event

February 24 - 27, 2022

You are accessing this information because you have read the *Wild Seeds Writers Retreat* guidelines outlined on the Center for Black Literature (CBL) website (see [HERE](#)).

You are submitting this application for the following category (*please check only one*):

Fiction (led by Donna Hill)

or

Poetry (led by Major Jackson)

APPLICATION

Please submit online by Friday, January 28, 2022 (11:59 p.m. ET)

NAME:		
PROFESSIONAL NAME:		
TITLE:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
MAIN TELEPHONE:		
MOBILE TELEPHONE:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		
WEBSITE:		

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Your application packet must include the following materials:

1. A cover letter of introduction and a short essay that includes:
 - a. The reason you want to participate in the Wild Seeds Writers Retreat.
 - b. How you would benefit from this experience.
 - c. Background information about you as a writer.
 - d. Brief description of the project you are presently working on (if applicable).
 - e. A writing sample (up to five pages).
 - f. Two letters of recommendation from individuals who are familiar with your writing
2. List the names and email addresses of the individuals who will submit recommendations.

Reference #1:

Reference #2:

3. The cost of the Retreat is \$500 (all four days) and there is a one-time nonrefundable application fee of \$25. Scholarships are made available only when sponsorship gifts permit. Scholarships are not necessarily applicable for each Retreat.

HOW WILL YOU SEND YOUR APPLICATION FEE?

- Via the online link [click to access the link >> [RFCUNY APPLY](#) <<] (see note below)
- Send a postal mail with this signed and dated application (see address below)



1. **The staff is working remotely. Online applications and online payments are preferred.**
2. RFCUNY (referenced above) is the nonprofit arm of the City University of New York and is registered as a charitable organization and is a 501(c)(3) organization.
3. If sending via postal mail, please:
 - a. Send a certified check or money order
 - b. Make the item payable to Medgar Evers College Educational Foundation
 - c. In the memo, please write **“CBL’s Wild Seeds Writers Retreat Winter 2022”**
 - d. MAIL TO:

Center for Black Literature
Medgar Evers College, CUNY
1650 Bedford Avenue | Brooklyn, NY 11225
ATTN: Wild Seeds Writers Retreat Winter 2022

PLEASE SIGN and DATE THIS APPLICATION

I understand the information and requirements outlined in this Wild Seeds Writers Retreat 2022 application.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

All Materials Must Be Received By Friday, January 28, 2022 (by 11:59 p.m. ET)

**For more details, please email CBL’s Director, Clarence V. Reynolds, at:
creynolds@mec.cuny.edu - and - writers@mec.cuny.edu**